



## The Southerner.

TARBORO: OCTOBER 9.

FOR PRESIDENT,  
**FRANKLIN PIERCE.**  
OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

FOR VICE PRESIDENT,  
**WILLIAM R. KING.**  
OF ALABAMA.

## A Card.

L. O. B. Branch Esq., Democratic Presidential elector, will address the citizens of Nash, Johnston, Wake, Franklin, Warren and Halifax, at the approaching terms of their Superior Courts

## Mass Meeting.

There will be a MASS MEETING of the Democrats

## 1. ENFIELD.

On Saturday, the 16th day of October next, to which all parties are respectfully invited. Messrs. BRANCH, DOBBIN, VENABLE, and other distinguished speakers, have promised to attend.

FOR THE SOUTHERNER.

## Pierce and King Club.

Mr. Editor: In compliance with a motion made and passed, at the last meeting of the "Edgecombe Pierce and King Club" we send you the following, which we request you to publish.

At the meeting before the last, a committee of five was appointed to prepare a constitution for the government of the Club, which committee reported through their chairman George Howard, Jun. the following—

We the members of the "Pierce and King Club" established in Edgecombe County North Carolina, actuated by an earnest desire for the success of the nominees of the Democratic party—that party which we believe to be the only true promoter of a judicious extension of our Country's limits, of a just and progressive system of policy and of an equal and impartial encouragement of the various important interests of our country—ordain this to be the Constitution of the Club.

## 1.—NAME.

This body shall be called the "Edgecombe Pierce and King Club," and shall meet every Tuesday night.

## 2.—OFFICERS.

The officers shall consist of a President, two vice Presidents and two Secretaries; also a corresponding Secretary.

## 3.—COMMITTEES.

An executive committee of six persons shall be appointed by the President, for each precinct in the county.

## 4.—DUTIES.

The President shall preside, and perform such duties as generally pertain to a presiding officer.

In his absence the first vice President shall occupy his seat, and in the absence of both, the second vice President.

The Secretaries, ordinary, shall take correct minutes of the proceedings at each meeting, and furnish reports thereof when required for publication.

The corresponding Secretary shall be the receiver or communicator of all messages from or to those not members of the Club.

The executive committees shall arouse the people in their respective neighborhoods to a proper appreciation of the approaching election and its importance, and make such preparations as will insure a full attendance at the polls.

It shall also be the duty of each member to attend when convenient the meetings, and to do all in his power, both by word and deed for the honorable advancement of the cause.

## 5.—MEMBERSHIP.

All persons, who sign this constitution, shall be considered members of the Club.

The committee recommend the following for the permanent officers of the Club.

Jno. S. Dancy, President,  
Jno. Norfleet and D. W. Bulluck, 1st and 2nd Vice Presidents.  
L. O. Pender, 1st Secretary.  
Benj. Norfleet, 2nd Secretary.  
Wm. M. Phippen, Corr. Sec'y.

The report was unanimously received and adopted.

In compliance with the 3rd Article of the constitution the President appointed the following persons to compose the executive committees for the different precincts of the county.

1st. Robt. H. Pender, Robt. R. Bridgers, Jno. L. Bridges, James M. Redmond, Wm. L. Dozier and Henry Hyman.

2nd. Theophilus Thomas, Reddin S. Petway, Charles C. Bonner, Jesse Bulluck, Richard A. Savage and Wm. S. Battle.

3rd. Wm. D. Petway, David Williams, Wm. J. Armstrong, Robt. Bynum, Wm. G. Sharpe and Wm. H. Hines.

4th. Gen. Joshua Barnes, Larry D. Farmer, Col. Jno. W. Farmer, Jonathan Rountree, James D. Barnes and Wm. Tomlinson.

5th. Jno. G. Williams, Jonas W. Barnes, James B. Woodward, Robt. Bynum, Warren Woodward and Jno. Gardner.

6th. Jno. Wilkinson, N. T. Daniel, Washington M. Stanton, Macon Moye, Jacob S. Barnes and Elias Barnes.

7th. Wm. Y. Moore, Abner Wilkinson, Mansel Wooten, Jno. Harrell, Richard Johnson and R. T. Eagles.

8th. Col. Joab P. Pitt, Henry Belcher, Jno. A. Vines, Jno. O. Oates, William A. Gay and Dr. P. S. Sugg.

9th. Thos. Norfleet, L. C. Pender, Robt. D. Wimberly, C. B. Killebrew, A. J. M. Whitehead and Spencer L. Hart.

10th. Jesse C. Knight, Wm. F. Mercer, James F. Jenkins, Jno. Garrett, Wm. Barnes and Peter Foster.

11th. Jesse Harrell, Amariah Cobb, Jonathan T. Eason, Elisha Cromwell, Mayo Worsley and William Thigpen.

12th. Henry R. Cherry, Wm. R. Cherry, Doct. R. W. Pender, Arthur Staton, Wilson Howard and Mack Jones.

13th. K. Thigpen, W. S. Long, Benj. Batts, Jno. Lawrence, Joshua L. Lawrence and L. Staton.

14th. L. S. Dunn, Jordan Thigpen, P. McDowell, David B. Bell, Charles G. Wilkinson and L. H. Smith.

15th. L. R. Cherry, Reddin Pittman, Josiah Cutchin, Archelaus Braswell, Willie Bradley and Jno. F. Speight.

16th. James S. Battle, Henry Bryan, Francis M. Parker, Malachi Odum, Thomas L. Maner and Charles Harrison.

17th. A. J. Cotten, Bennett P. Pitt, Richard Bynum, Amos W. Cobb, Theophilus Atkinson and Jacob Bynum.

The Secretaries would respectfully call the particular attention of the above committees, to the 5th paragraph of the 4th Article of the constitution.

L. D. PENDER,  
BENJ. NORFLEET, } Secretaries

## James Lyons.

This gentleman, now Chief Justice of Virginia, and for several years past one of the leading whigs of the State, as is known to our readers, visited a few weeks since, the Mass Meeting at Hillsborough, N. H., and afterwards wrote a letter, stating his conviction that the northern Democracy were sound on the slavery question.

For this bold declaration of his opinions, he was assailed by the Virginia Whig Press, and in vindication of his character, he published a letter to his old constituents. As he is not only a Whig, but a warm personal friend of Gen. Scott, we quote his views as having peculiar weight and importance. Speaking of his first letter and the subsequent conduct of the whigs, he says,

It will be remarked, that I said nothing of party politics—nothing against any party or politician. I simply said that one party was sound, which it was fair to presume every patriot in the land would be glad to hear—and if the Whig party of the North is sound and my assailants had either wit or patriotism, they would not have assailed, but thanked me, and said, "then both parties are sound, and the South and the Union are safe." They would have rejoiced to find that the South had many friends, where before it was believed she had only enemies. And why should any man wish this truth suppressed, unless it be because its development deprives him of the chance of trading upon the falsehood? If there be such a one, I have nothing to say to him; I pity his weakness and detest his vice.

But my assailants seem to suppose that I am their slave, or the slave of their party, and not, as I am, a free-born Virginian; and they make much uproar about my party obligations. I have not the time now to go fully into that view, as imperious professional engagements compel me to go, without delay, to the town of Hampton. Upon my return, I will do so, however, and at the same time present all the grounds of my opinion, that the success of Gen. Scott's party, at the next election, will be a most disastrous event for the country, and especially the South.

Yet that just respect for the opinion

of the public, which every man of any sense has, and yet more, the regard which every man of any heart has, for the good opinion of his neighbors and friends, make it proper that I should state at once, what my connection with the present canvass has been. In the first place, as far back as 1845, I told Gen. Scott, that notwithstanding my personal regard for him, and admiration of his great qualities as a military commander, I could not vote for him while he held the opinions which he now holds; and at his own house last spring, I told him that I could not vote for him, unless he would come out and publicly place himself upon the ground occupied by Mr. Fillmore, and even then, I should consider it a duty to support Mr. Fillmore against him.

He then proceeds to explain his selection as elector and the causes of his resignation, and closes as follows,

Yet some of my assailants talk of treason to the party. The man who does so with these facts before him is either a silly blockhead, who does not know the meaning of the words, or a corrupt knave who has no regard for truth. No fellow citizens, they don't, any of them, believe that I have in truth done any thing wrong in this respect, if they have any honor themselves; but they are enraged because I will not support their candidate, against the convictions of my heart and head, and abandon my country for the applause of a party—and knowing the power of the press, and the enormous odds when it arrays itself against a single man, even with the right on his side, they have determined, by my immolation, which they declare is complete, to establish a reign of terror, and deter all others who may be disposed to take similar ground with that which I occupy, from doing so, and tear the party banner to tatters, when it is arrayed against (as now in my humble judgment it is,) the flag of the nation and the peace of the South. As far as I am concerned I shall test their power, and on my return from Hampton, lay before you all the reasons, why I shall stand with Gentry, Jenifer, Cabell, Williams, Toombs and Stephens, and a host of others, in opposition to the Seward-Scott party.

## JAMES LYONS.

## Menagerie and Circus.

The lovers of fun will perceive, from our advertising columns, that the Menagerie and Circus are coming. Youngsters, now is the time to see "the elephant."

## General Assembly.

This body convened in special session at Raleigh on Monday last.

In the Senate, Hon. Weldon N. Edwards, of Warren, was elected Speaker, having received 23 votes—Col. A. Joyner of Halifax, 20. John Hill of Stokes, was appointed Principal Clerk; Gen. G. E. B. Singletary, of Nash, Assistant Clerk; James Page, of Principal Doorkeeper; and Patrick McGowan, Assistant Doorkeeper.

In the House of Commons, John Baxter of Henderson, was chosen Speaker, having received 60 votes—James C. Dobbin of Cumberland, 51. [6 democrats and 1 whig being absent.] Stephen D. Pool, of Pasquotank, was elected Principal Clerk, by a strict party vote over Perrin Busbee; James R. Dodge, Assistant Clerk; Wm. R. Lovell, Principal Doorkeeper; and Wm. Webster, Assistant Doorkeeper.

Both Houses then adjourned until Tuesday morning.

## Agricultural Society.

The following gentlemen were appointed to attend the formation of a State Agricultural Society in Raleigh, by the Edgecombe Agricultural Society: John S. Dancy, R. R. Bridges, Wm. F. Lewis, H. B. Bryan, Wm. H. Hines, James F. Jenkins, Joseph D. Jenkins, J. L. Horne, Baker Staton, John L. Bridges, D. W. Bulluck, W. S. Battle and Robert Norfleet.

It is a well known fact, that Bilious complaints in a few hours, or the quick cure of all chronic and crochulous diseases. It is powerful, searching and pleasant; it cleanses and unifies the blood from all crochulous humors; it resolves away from the bones and muscles all diseased deposits; it electrifies the fluids and solids with health and strength—the patient will experience its powerful, soothing, beneficial effects in a few hours after taking it.

Radway's medicated Soap—the superior efficacy of this highly medicated compound over all other cosmetics for purifying the skin and curing salt rheum, ring worm, rash, tetter, chaff flesh and imparting to the complexion that ROSKATE TINT which nature intended should wear, is acknowledged to stand beyond the reach of rival. Radway's Soap is purely balsamic in its properties. IT CLEANSES HEALS, PURIFIES and IMPROVES.

Letter from a prominent Free Soiler.

A letter has been published in the Corning Journal, from Hon. Henry Bradley, of Pen Yan, N. Y., a prominent and influential member of the Liberty party, and its candidate for Governor, in 1846, in which he expresses his determination to vote for Scott. He concludes his letter as follows:

"One of these men must in all human probability be President. If lacking one vote and that should be mine, Gen. Scott should fail and Gen. Pierce should be called to occupy the place once occupied by a Washington, an Adams and a Jefferson, I should feel that by failing to do a simple act of duty I had inflicted a lasting injury upon the slave and upon the country."

There is no truth in the exaggerated reports of sickness in Norfolk and Portsmouth. No case of Yellow Fever has occurred in either place, from what we can learn. There has been a few cases of severe Billious, some of which proved fatal. No one wishing to go down, need apprehend any danger from sickness whatever.—Weldon Patriot.

## FOREIGN.

ARRIVAL OF  
The Steamer Atlantic.

Latest from Europe.  
The steamship Atlantic arrived at New York on Saturday evening last, with Liverpool dates to the 22d ult.

Liverpool, Sept. 22.  
Cotton.—The Liverpool cotton market was quiet, and prices drooping. There is no change in the quotations current at the sailing of the last steamer. The sales of the last four days amounted to 26,000 bales, of which 7,000 were taken on speculation and for export. Imports, 1,500 bales. Wright & Gandy quote fair Orleans 6 1/4 d.; middling 5 1/4 d.; fair Mobile 6 1/4 d.; middling 5 1/4 d.; fair Up-lands 6 d.; middling 5 1/4 d.

Flour and Corn at Liverpool were firmer, without any material variation in prices. Wheat was steady, at rates per Canada. Canadian favorite brands of Flour were scarce, and commanded extreme rates. Inferior descriptions were neglected. For cargoes of Corn to arrive a slight advance had been paid.

## MARKETS.

TARBORO' MARKET, Oct. 9.  
Naval stores continue advancing in price—no change in other articles.

Turpentine—Virgin dip, 82 7/8; Old dip, 82 6/8 to 82 7/8.  
Scrape 50 cts. per 100 lbs.

Tar, \$1 per barrel.  
Corn, 82 2/8 to 82 5/8 per bbl.

Bacon, 11 to 12 1/2 cts.  
Lard, 11 to 12 1/2 cts.

Fish—Blue Fish, 8¢; Whole Herrings, 85¢; Drums, 85¢ 50.  
Cotton, 8 to 8 1/2 cts.

Washington Market, Oct. 5.  
Naval Stores—Our market for all articles under this head opened this week at a large advance on last week's quotations, and notwithstanding receipts are quite large for the season, prices are firm at our quotations, \$3 25 for old dip, \$1 60 for Scrape, \$1 60 for Tar, and 45¢ for Spirits Turpentine.

Grain—All articles continue in good demand at the following prices:—Corn 52c. per bushel measure, Oats 25c. do., Wheat 75c. for 60 lbs.

Newbern Market, Sept. 30.  
Turpentine.—The arrivals since our last notice on Tuesday last, have been light. Turpentine holds its own steadily and with a slight advance, especially on Virgin Dip—sales have been for Dip pretty uniform at \$3 25 and for Virgin Dip \$3 55. Very little Scrape arriving—would command \$1 90 to \$2 00.

Tar \$1 90.  
Corn.—Small receipts in wagons and carts, which sell at 52 to 54 cents per bushel.

Bacon.—Sales of Hams at 14 to 15 cents, Sides at 13.

Lard.—Small sales at 13 cents.

Reported for the Wilmington Herald.  
Wilmington Market, Oct. 6.

Turpentine.—The receipts continue light and prices have taken a downward tendency as compared with our last report. The sales altogether reach 600 bbls., half of which went off at 3 25 a 3 30 per bbl. for Yellow Dip, and 1 62 1/2 a 1 65 for Hard. The balance brought 3 00 a 3 10 for the former, and 1 50 a 1 55 for the latter quality. Another lot has been offered at 3 10, but no sales.

Corn.—The stock is thinning off rapidly and the article is in demand. There have been no arrivals for several days past.

Bacon.—We continue our former quotations. There have been sales of hog round at 12 1/4 a 13 cts. per lb. We quote Hams at 13 1/4 a 14, Middlings 12 1/4 a 13, and Shoulders 12 cts. per lb.

The stock of Western continues full and sale-dull. The supplies of N. C. are moderate.

Lard.—Occasional sales in small lots on arrival, former prices, say 13 1/4 a 14 for N. C. Western 12 1/4 a 13 1/2 cts. per lb. We quote the demand as moderate and supplies fair.

New York Market, Oct. 5.  
Corn is easier; with sales of 30,000 bushels at 70 a 71 for Western mixed.

Cotton.—The market heavy and rather lower, with more movement to-day, the sales reaching 1,200 bales; the sales for three days are 2,300 bales. The exports for the week ending to-day are 4976 bales, viz: 3736 to Great Britain, 930 to Havre and 310 to Northern European ports; of which the latter item, and 983 to Great Britain, were cleared since our Saturday's report.

We quote: Inferior Nominal; ordinary low to good 8 1/4 a 9 1/4; middling low to good 9 1/4 a 10 1/4; middling fair to fair 10 1/4 a 11.

Naval Stores are quiet; crude turpentine is held at 34; spirits are selling (only in small parcels) at 55. Rosins are unchanged; 500 bbls fine were sold at \$3 a \$3 50, and 100 bbls No. 2 at 82.

Provisions.—Yesterday, as noted in this morning's report, the pork market improved, with sales of about 1,200 bbls mess at \$17 50 a \$17 75, mostly at \$17 62 1/2; to-day it was again firmer, with further sales of 604 bbls at \$17 75 a \$17 87 1/2; some holders asking \$18 00, although some lots could have been picked up at \$17 75; prime \$15 50 a \$15 75; clear \$19 50. Beef is steady at \$10 a \$14 for country and city mess, and \$5 a \$6 for prime. Dressed hogs are selling at 8 a 9c; green hams 10 a 12; shoulders 8. Lard is firm at 11 1/2 a 12. Butter is steady at 17 a 19 for good Ohio; 21 a 23 for good New York dairy; and 23 a 25 for Orange county. Cheese 7 a 8.

POISONING.  
Thousands of parents who use Vermifuge composed of castor oil, calomel, &c., are not aware, that while they appear to benefit the patient, they are actually laying the foundations for a series of diseases, such as salivation, loss of sight, weakness of limbs, &c.

In another column will be found the advertisement of HOBENSACK'S Medicines, to which we ask the attention of all directly interested in their own as well as their children's health. In Liver Complaints and all disorders arising from those of a bilious type, should make use of the only genuine medicine, HOBENSACK'S Liver Pills.

"Be not deceived," but ask for HOBENSACK'S Worm Syrup and Liver Pills, and observe that each has the signature of the Proprietor, J. N. HOBENSACK, as none else are genuine.

RELIGIOUS NOTICE.  
The subject of Religion will be discussed publicly at Goldsboro', on Friday, the 29th inst., by Elder G. M. Thompson, Old School Baptist, and Elder Mark Bennett, Missionary Baptist. The discussion to commence at 9 o'clock.—Com.

MARRIED.  
On Tuesday, the 29th ult., in this county by L. R. Cherry, Esq., Mr. Poley Rogers of Wake, to Miss Mary A. Egan.

We would wish them all kinds of joys and delights, did we not know that they will certainly realize them; for no heart, that keeps in kind remembrance the printer, can harbor unpleasant emotions. They have our thanks.

DIED.  
At Wilson, on 2nd inst., Willie Rountree, infant son of Col. J. W. and Obedience Farmer, aged 1 year and 1 month. "Suffer little children, and forbid them not, to come unto me: for of such is the kingdom of heaven." Communicated.

Education.  
THE SIXTH Semi-annual Session of my School will commence

On the first Monday in November next, and close on the last Friday in March. Punctual attendance on the first day of the session is requested.

WM. ROBINSON.  
Goldsboro', Oct. 6, 1852.

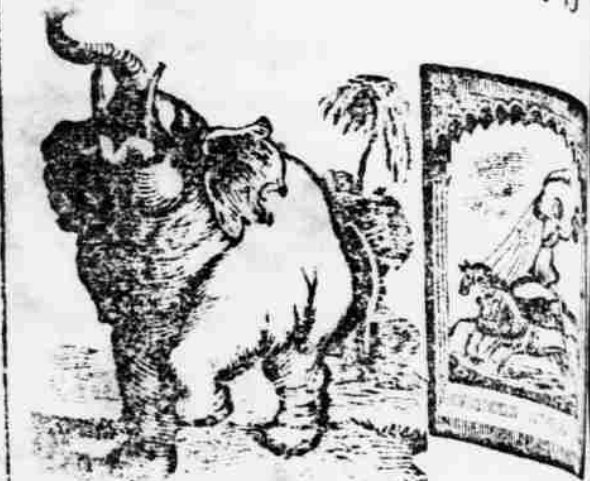
NOTICE.  
OUR SCHOOL will be opened again on the 1st Monday—4th day—of October.

T. R. & M. B. OWEN.  
Sept. 17, 1852. 38-6

Notice is hereby given,  
THAT application will be made to the next General Assembly of North Carolina, for the passage of an Act to amend and consolidate the several Acts heretofore passed for the regulation, and government of the Town of Tarborough, in Edgecombe County.

A copy of the proposed Act has been left at Mr. James M. Redmond's store for public examination.  
Tarboro', October 2nd, 1852.

## A. Turner &amp; Co's



## Menagerie &amp; Circus COMBINED.

CONTAINING THE LARGEST  
And some of the most splendid  
Animals in the World

Many of which were trained and exhibited by the celebrated Van Amburg through the principal Cities of Europe and America.

The Equestrian Troupe is without its superior in the known world, among which is that celebrated six horse rider, N. H. TURNER, also T. V. TURNER, WARD, LIPMAN, DeLACY, Masters THOMAS, EDWIN &c. &c., and that Clown of the Circus, J. W. MYERS, whose daring act of turning a Somerset over 16 man 10 horses and the Elephant, the largest in the United States, astonishes every person who has seen the almost incredible performance.

Will exhibit at Tarboro' Thursday Oct. 21st. Doors open 1 1/2 and 6 1/2 o'clock. Performances commence at 2 and 7 P. M.

Admission 50 cents; children and servants half price.

SALES OF  
REAL ESTATE

By Order of the Court of Equity

ON MONDAY, the 1st day of November next, on the premises will be offered for sale, the land of the late Harrod Pittman. Said Land is situate in Edgecombe county, on the south side of Swift Creek, adjoining the Lands of Allen Taylor, Ely Cutchin, and others, and contains 740 Acres, more or less. Terms made known on the day of sale.

ON WEDNESDAY, the 3rd day of November next, on the premises will be offered for sale, the Land of the late John R. Dwyer. Said Land is in Edgecombe county, on the south side of Fishing Creek, adjoining the Lands of C. L. Dicken, Penelope Abner, and others, and containing 203 Acres, more or less. Terms made known on the day of sale.

ON FRIDAY, the 5th day of November next, will be offered for sale at the residence of the late Rodrick Staton, all the residue of the said Rodrick not covered by dower, in addition to his Lands situate in Edgecombe county, will be offered for sale at the same time and place, a Tract of Land lying in the County of Pitt. Said tract contains 1387 acres, more or less. Terms made known on the day of sale.

ON WEDNESDAY, the 10th day of November next, will be offered for sale on the premises, the Land of the late William Dwyer, situate in Edgecombe county, on the north side of White Oak Swamp and Wiggins Branch, containing 500 Acres, more or less. Said Land was purchased by William Dwyer of the Amason the elder.

ON SATURDAY, the 13th day of November next, will be offered for sale on the premises, the Land of the late Joshua Lawrence, son of John. Said Land adjoins the Land of Frederick D. Little, John Mayo, and James Lawrence, and contains 110 Acres, more or less, and is at present occupied by Dr. F. G. Pitt. Terms made known on the day of sale.

KENELM H. LEWIS, C. M. E.  
Oct. 1st, 1852. 40-5

Head Quarters, 5th Brigade.  
Oakland, near Jackson, Sept. 1st, 1852.

THE REGIMENTS belonging to the 5th Brigade North Carolina Militia, will be reviewed at the following times and places:—

13th Regt. Monday, Oct. 25, at Williamsboro' 20th & 21st, Wednesday, 27, at Farmington 14th & 15th, Friday, 29, at Halifax 16th, Saturday, 30, at Jacksonville (Official) I am very respy

Your obt. serv't.  
WM. H. WHITEHEAD,  
Brig. Genl. 5th Brigade.

To H. T. Clark, Col. Com.

Head Quarters, 21st Regt NC M.  
Tarboro', October 1st, 1852.

THE OFFICERS, Musicians and Privates of 21st Regt. are hereby ordered to appear at Tarboro', at the usual parade ground, on Wednesday the 27th October, for Review and Inspection.

The Officers will attend, on Tuesday the day before, for Drill and Regimental Court Martial.

Capt. David B. Bell has been appointed Adjutant, in place of Robt. R. Bridges, resigned, and will be obeyed and respected accordingly. By order,  
HENRY T. CLARK, Col. 21st Regt.

Military Election.  
AN ELECTION will be held in Tarboro' on Tuesday the 26th October, for Major of 21st Regiment.

By order of Brig. Genl. Whitehead,  
HENRY T. CLARK, Col.

Peach Orchard Coal.  
60 TONS egg size suitable for grates.  
For sale by W. H. WILLARD  
Washington, Sept. 27, '52.